



# *Southern California Kendo Federation*

March 16, 2003

Enclosed is a **Southern California Kendo Championship** application form for your dojo. It shows the paid membership for your dojo as of March 2003. June 22th, the day of the Championships, was used as the reference date for calculating ages. **This form is due at the April 5<sup>th</sup> SCKF Board meeting.**

Please place checkmarks under the columns labeled "R S W N" as follows:

Column	Notes
R	Check this column if the person is 4dan or above and will be able to be a referee at the tournament
S	Check this column if the person will (also) be participating in the senior division (yudansha only).
W	Check this column if the person will (also) be participating in the women's division (kyu 14 years and older and yudansha).
N	Check this column if the person will be participating in his/her "normal" rank division. For yudansha, see championship requirements below.

For each participant, enter the height and weight under the "HT,WT" column and enter the appropriate fee amount in the "\$" column. Fees are \$6 for all kyu, including adults, and \$11 for yudansha. Fees are non-refundable. **Please fill out the form completely, marking any corrections and filling in any missing information.** Please fill in any missing birthdates or rank dates even if the person will not be attending the tournament.

**Please submit only those persons confirmed to attend.**

If you wish to add a new member as a participant, fill in the information on the form. In addition, submit a dues form with separate SCKF and AUSKF checks; these will be turned in to the Treasurer. See the SCKF website (<http://www.eanet.com/sckf>) for fee amounts and forms. If you have any questions regarding dues, please contact Treasurer Janet Kurokouchi ([jkurouchi@email.msn.com](mailto:jkurouchi@email.msn.com), Covina Dojo).

This form is due at the April 5<sup>th</sup> Board meeting. It is recommended that you make a copy for your records. Please turn the form in to Tomoji Kato with a tournament fee check made out to SCKF. **No forms will be accepted without payment in full. Only this form will be accepted (please do not retype it in your own format).**

The following are the tentative divisions for the non-championship portion of the tournament:

- Senior (yudansha 50 years and older, may be split into two subgroups depending on number)
- Women's (one group for kyu 14 years and older, one group for yudansha)
- 0-6 kyu (14 years and older will be placed in the 5-4 kyu group)
- 5-4 kyu
- 3-1 kyu
- Adult kyu (18 years and older)

The following are the requirements for the championship portion of the tournament:

- Individual championship: yudansha only, must have been a member of SCKF for at least 12 months prior to the Championship
- Team championship: there is no team championship in June, it has been moved to September

Kenshi who have been a member of SCKF for at least 12 months are marked by an "O" to the right of their name. The tournament tree for the individual championship will be filled in at the June meeting.

Per the SCKF tournament policies:

- Sign-in for all divisions, including yudansha, will be closed prior to the start of the tournament
- Kenshi, especially yudansha and adult kyu, are expected to help with court duty

**Please fill out the following table for bento orders and turn it in either with the application form or at the June meeting. Include a check payable to SCKF.**

Dojo name:	
Number of Bento	Total \$ (\$6 each)